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Re: Form 19b-4(e) - SPDR Index Shares Funds

Dear Ms. Jackson:

Enclosed for filing pursuant to Section 19(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 19b-4 thereunder, please find an original and nine copies of Form 19b-4(e) with respect to the following securities:

- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Consumer Discretionary Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPD);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Financial Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPF);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Technology Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPK);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Industrial Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPN);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Consumer Staples Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPS);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR<sup>®</sup> S&P<sup>®</sup> International Utilities Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPU);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR<sup>®</sup> S&P<sup>®</sup> International Energy Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IPW);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Materials Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IRV);
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Health Care Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IRY); and
- SPDR Index Shares Funds, SPDR® S&P® International Telecommunications Sector ETF (Ticker Symbol IST).

| Act                     | Securities Exchange Act of 1934 |             |  |  |  |  |
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